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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Sam E. KINNEY, Jr. et al.)

Application No.: 09/490,868)

Filed: January 24, 2000)

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
DISGUISED PRICE BIDDING IN
ONLINE AUCTIONS)

Group Art Unit: 2164

Examiner: Daniel S. Felten

Date: August 30, 2001

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 23, 2001 (paper no. 8) and superceding the Amendment filed on August 29, 2001 without the referenced Supplemental Declaration, please amend the above-identified application, as follows. It is noted that the period for response has been extended through September 23, 2001 by a Petition for Extension of Time and appropriate fee filed with the Amendment dated August 29, 2001. Please disregard the Amendment that was filed on August 29, 2001 without the Supplemental Declaration.

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